

## PHARMACY AND POISONS ORDINANCE (Chapter 138)

DIRECTION MADE BY THE DISCIPLINARY COMMITTEE OF  
THE PHARMACY AND POISONS BOARD OF HONG KONG

It is hereby notified that a Disciplinary Committee appointed by the Pharmacy and Poisons Board of Hong Kong under section 15 of the Pharmacy and Poisons Ordinance (Chapter 138, Laws of Hong Kong) to inquire into the conduct of an authorized seller of poisons, namely Wah Yan Dispensary Limited, at Shop A, G/F and The Whole of The Basement, Man Hing Commercial Building, Nos. 79–83 Queen's Road Central, Central, Hong Kong has conducted an inquiry on 10 February 2026 in accordance with section 16 of the Pharmacy and Poisons Ordinance.

The said Committee was satisfied after the inquiry that Wah Yan Dispensary Limited had been guilty of misconduct in that at the material time, Wah Yan Dispensary Limited was convicted of the following offences under the Pharmacy and Poisons Regulations (Chapter 138A, Laws of Hong Kong) made under the Pharmacy and Poisons Ordinance on the date specified below at Eastern Magistrates' Courts for which the following orders were imposed:—

<i>Date of Order</i>	<i>Date of Offence</i>	<i>Person Convicted</i>	<i>Offence</i>	<i>Order</i>
14 April 2025	22 March 2024	Wah Yan Dispensary Limited	Failing to store Part 1 poison in a locked receptacle	Fined HK\$6,000
14 April 2025	22 March 2024	Wah Yan Dispensary Limited	Possession of pharmaceutical product which was not registered for sale or distribution	Fined HK\$6,000 and Compensation (Not via Magistracy) HK\$38,744

In addition, the said Committee was satisfied that Wah Yan Dispensary Limited had failed to comply with sections 1.4a, 1.4b, 2e, 2f, 3.1d and 3.3a of the Code of Practice for Authorized Seller of Poisons (2021 version).

It is further notified that under section 16(2)(b) of the Pharmacy and Poisons Ordinance, the said Committee directed Wah Yan Dispensary Limited be disqualified from being an authorized seller of poisons for a period of 2 days with effect from 25 March 2026. The said Committee added that its direction should be published in the Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region Gazette with an account of the proceedings.

FUNG Ying *Chairman, Disciplinary Committee of the Pharmacy and Poisons Board of Hong Kong*